

Luke

Theme:

Jesus as the Son of Man

Outline:

- I. The Birth of the Son of Man (1-3)
- II. The Ministry of the Son of Man (4-19)
- III. The Crucifixion and Resurrection of the Son of Man (20-24)

Key Chapters

- 2 Birth of Christ

John

Theme:

Jesus as the Son of God

Outline:

- I. The Public Ministry of Jesus (1-12)
- II. The Private Ministry of Jesus - Upper Room (13-17)
- III. The Passion and Resurrection of Jesus (18-21)

Key Chapters

- 2 Wedding in Cana (first sign); cleansing of the temple
- 3 Nicodemus; John the Baptist's testimony
- 4 Samaritan woman
- 10 Good Shepherd; debate on His deity
- 13 Last supper/foot washing; Judas' betrayal; Peter's denial predicted
- 14 Q&A: He's "the way" (14:6); "in the Father" (14:9ff); sending the Holy Spirit (14:26ff)
- 15 Relationships: God - vine/branches; believers - "love one another"; world - "hates you"
- 16 Revelation of what is to come: rejection; Holy Spirit; resurrection; Father
- 17 High Priestly prayer
- 21 Jesus appears to the disciples in Galilee

Acts

Theme:

Birth and Growth of the Church

Outline:

Geographical

- I. Jerusalem (1-7) circa 3 years
- II. Judea and Samaria (8-12) circa 11 years
- III. The Ends of the Earth (13-28) circa 18 years

Apostles

- I. Peter (1-12)
- II. Paul (13-28)

Key Chapters

- 1 40 days post-resurrection; choosing of Matthias
- 2 Pentecost; coming of Holy Spirit
- 5 Ananias and Sapphira; persecution; deity of the Holy Spirit
- 6 First deacons
- 7 Stephen's sermon and martyrdom
- 9 Saul's conversion - Paul
- 13-14 First missionary journey
- 15 Jerusalem council
- 27-28 Paul's passage to Rome

Bible Verse Memory Work

Philippians 4:6 (NASB95)

[6] Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NASB95)

[16] Rejoice always; [17] pray without ceasing; [18] in everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

James 5:16 (NASB95)

[16] Therefore, confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another so that you may be healed. The effective prayer of a righteous man can accomplish much.